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7 Bhadrapada, 1936(Saka)**

NOTIFICATION

Whereas, the schedule for the Bye- Elections to the House of the People from **Andhra Pradesh, Gujarat & Uttar Pradesh**, and State Legislative Assemblies of **Andhra Pradesh, Assam, Chhattisgarh, Gujarat, Rajasthan, Sikkim, Tripura, Uttar Pradesh & West Bengal** were announced by the Commission vide Press Note No. ECI/PN/37/2014, dated 16th August, 2014;

2. And whereas, as per the provisions of Section 126A of the R.P. Act, 1951, there shall be restrictions on conduct of any exit poll and publication and dissemination of result of such exit poll during such period, as may be notified by the Election Commission in this regard;

3. Now, therefore, in exercise of the powers under sub-Section (1) of section 126A of the R.P. Act, 1951, the Election Commission, having regard to the provisions of sub-Section (2)(b) of the said Section, hereby notifies the period between 7.00 A.M. and 6.30 P.M. on 13-9-2014(Saturday), as the period during which conducting any exit poll and publishing or publicizing by means of the print or electronic media or dissemination in any other manner whatsoever, the result of any exit poll in connection with the current Bye-Elections announced vide the Commission's Press Note No. ECI/PN/37/2014, dated 16-8-2014 from **6-Medak Parliamentary Constituency in Andhra Pradesh, 20-Vadodara Parliamentary Constituency in Gujarat & 21-Mainpuri Parliamentary Constituency in Uttar Pradesh and 202-Nandigama(SC) Assembly Constituency in Andhra Pradesh, 9-Silchar,**

13-Lakhipur & 90-Jamunamukh Assembly Constituencies in Assam, 79-Antagarh(ST) Assembly Constituency in Chhattisgarh, 13-Deesa, 53-Maninagar, 66-Tankara, 81-Khambhalia, 89-Mangrol, 100-Talaja, 112-Anand, 115-Matar & 131-Limkheda(ST) Assembly Constituencies in Gujarat, 26-Surajgarh, 75-Weir(SC), 102-Nasirabad & 190-Kota South Assembly Constituencies in Rajasthan, 15-Rangang-Yangang Assembly Constituency in Sikkim, 39-Manu(ST) Assembly Constituency in Tripura, 3-Saharanpur Nagar, 22-Bijnor, 26-Thakurdwara, 61-Noida, 138-Nighasan, 173-Lucknow East, 228-Hamirpur, 231-Charkhari, 251-Sirathu, 282-Balha(SC) and 387-Rohaniyad Assembly Constituencies in Uttar Pradesh and 124-Basirhat Dakshin & 162-Chowrangee Assembly Constituencies in West Bengal, shall be prohibited.

4. It is further clarified that under Section 126(1)(b) of the R.P. Act, 1951, displaying any election matter including results of any opinion poll or any other poll survey, in any electronic media, would be prohibited during the period of 48 hours ending with the hours fixed for conclusion of poll in connection with aforesaid Bye-elections.

By order,

**Sd/-
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